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103 18	203 9	Claims in excess of 20
102 84	202 42	Independent claims in excess of 3
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109 84	209 42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110 18	210 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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147 2,520	147 2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
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115 110	215 55	Extension for reply within first month	
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117 920	217 460	Extension for reply within third month	
118 1,440	218 720	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128 1,960	228 980	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119 320	219 160	Notice of Appeal	
120 320	220 160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121 280	221 140	Request for oral hearing	
138 1,510	138 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140 110	240 55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
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142 1,280	242 640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143 460	243 230	Design issue fee	
144 620	244 310	Plant issue fee	
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146 740	246 370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
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179 740	279 370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
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Title: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR SUPPORTING MULTIPLE DISPLAYS**

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is being submitted in response to the Office Action dated July 16, 2002 relating to the above-identified application. Reexamination and reconsideration of said application are respectfully requested.

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Please insert the following paragraphs as amended in this section. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.121, a marked-up version of the following paragraphs are attached hereto as Exhibit A.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 6, line 12 with the following:

The processing continues at step 62 where selected display capabilities are substituted for the capability parameters. The selected display capabilities include display parameters that exceed the display capabilities of each of the multiple displays coupled to the computing system 10. For example, if the computing system 10 has three displays coupled to a single video graphics card, where the first display has a pixel resolution of 640 x 480, the second 720 x 540 and the third 1024 x 768, the selected display capabilities would have a resolution at least as great as 1024 x 768 and may further be increased to 1920 x 1440 or higher. As such, the selected display capabilities may be determined based on a composite of the display parameters of each of the multiple displays, such as an average, a maximum display parameters, or default